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In re application of: John Francis Regan  
 Serial or Patent No.: 09/188,827  
 For: LENDER AND INSURER TRANSACTION PROCESSING SYSTEM AND METHOD  
 Filed: November 9, 1998  
 Group Art Unit: 2161

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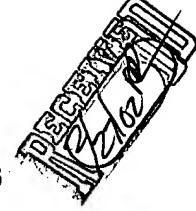
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